

ALONG THE FIGHTING FRONTS

Terrible Battles in France Seem to Have Spent their Force.

During the past week interest in the European war has centered in the "big drive" of the French and British forces against the Germans in France. Early reports indicated much success on the part of the Allies; but the progress claimed. There is no reason to doubt that the Allies drove the Germans back at many points; but at the same time it appears that the Germans have regained most of what they had lost.

There are no definite reports as to the losses on either side. There is no reason to believe, however, that the carnage has been more fearful than in any previous battle.

The Germans claim to be making steady progress against the Russians in the east, and the British claim successes against the Turks in Mesopotamia.

MERE-MENTION

The freight steamer Isabel struck a submerged wreck in Long Sound Tuesday night and sank in ten minutes. Fourteen members of the crew are reported as missing.

The turnover of stocks on Tuesday totaled 1,633,878 shares, the largest single day's business since September 27, 1911. Baidwin Leavitt Works stock reached its highest price at 150 a share.

By the explosion of a tank car of gasoline at Ardmore, Okla., Monday night, several lives were lost and a large portion of the city wrecked.

The explosion was caused by a spark from a machine's hammer. The 49th annual encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic was held in Washington this week.

President Wilson delivered the address of welcome to the veterans. A ship arriving at Philadelphia Tuesday, included in its cargo 3,441 cases of German-made toys.

The ship came from Rotterdam. Compulsory military education for all males over 14 years of age is being advocated by Governor Walsh of Massachusetts.

General Carranza has captured the city of Torreón, Mexico, from Villa forces. The enrollment of the University of England year is 4,259.

R. L. Smith, serving a sentence of 20 days on the city farm of Columbia, Ga., for a misdemeanor, was thrown from a mill race and killed.

Chattahoochee river while shackled in his sentence would have expired Wednesday night. The main business in block and twenty-five residences in Suferin, N. Y., were destroyed by fire Tuesday night.

No lives were lost. The Italian battleship Benedetto Brin was destroyed by fire off the coast of Italy, this week. It is said that the fire was accidental.

A portion of the crew was saved. Thomas St. John, American consul general at Munich, Germany, has been asked by the United States government to resign his post because of partisan utterances on the European war.

While his lawyers were arguing his cause in the Asheville, N. C., police court Tuesday, Monday, Henderson, charged with selling liquor, boldly walked out of the courthouse and made his escape.

John L. Knapp, commander of the Philadelphia navy yard, died of apoplexy in Philadelphia Tuesday. He was 58 years of age.

Sergeant Edward C. Thompson of the Sixth corps of U. S. marines at Port au Prince, Haiti, was killed by an enemy bullet while returning to camp.

Eugene F. Schmidt, deceased as mayor of San Francisco at the time of the draft protest in that city in 1906-07, failed to come back in the primary held in San Francisco, Tuesday, being overwhelmed by defeated by Mayor James Rolph.

Washington Irving Morley, son of a wealthy Kansas City contractor, shot and killed Mrs. Mary Whitney, a piano player in a Chicago, Ill., cafe Tuesday, and then killed himself.

Five men were killed and eleven others were wounded when a train derailed through a gang of trackmen who were working in a railway tunnel at Phoenix, Pa., Tuesday.

Samuel, one of the best known Jewish rabbis in the south, died at his home in Memphis, Tenn., Tuesday, after 71 years of age.

Mrs. Henry Cabot Lodge, wife of United States Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, died suddenly by this week. The first snow of the season in England fell yesterday morning.

One man was killed and twenty others were injured from an explosion in a mine at Hanna City, Ill., yesterday.

A railroad section foreman and 16 negro section workers were drowned during the severe storm at Manassas, La., this week.

Rev. Dr. John Wesley Hill, well known as a lecturer on politics and peace, is being sued for \$100,000 by Miss Lucile Covington of New York, for alleged breach of promise.

At yesterday's session of the Federal reserve bank at Omaha, Neb., President Wilson's foreign policy was endorsed.

M. Weinstein, a Jew, has been elected a member of the Russian council of the empire. He is the first Jew to be elected to that body.

Among the British officers killed in the fighting in France this week were Lieut. General Sir Thompson Capner and Major General G. H. Thesinger.

SOUTH CAROLINA NEWS

John L. McLaughlin, state warehouse commissioner, has accepted an invitation to deliver an address before the North Carolina Farmers' Union at Durham, N. C., on November 16.

The Charleston grand jury on yesterday returned 27 "true bills" against alleged violators of the whiskey laws. It is the same grand jury which last summer returned 32 "no bills" in similar cases.

Gaffney, September 30: The case of J. H. Bulce vs. Ed H. DeCamp, which has been pending in the courts for several months, and which excited a great deal of interest all over the state, was settled yesterday, and the case withdrawn by mutual consent.

The suit was for alleged libel and damages were laid in the sum of \$20,000. The plaintiff based his suit for damages on a statement which was published in the Gaffney Ledger which he claimed was libelous.

Meek and Tom Griffin, John Crosby, Nelson Brice and Joe Malloy, negroes, were electrocuted at the state penitentiary Wednesday morning, the first four for the murder of John Q. Lewis, a Confederate veteran of Chester county, on April 24, 1913, and Malloy for the murder of Prentiss Moore and Guy Rogers, two white boys of Marlboro county, on Thanksgiving day in 1911.

All the negroes proclaimed their innocence to the last. The executions were witnessed by a number of persons from Chester and Marlboro counties.

Spartanburg special of September 29, to Her Charlotte Observer: William Montague Nichols, second lieutenant in the British Royal artillery, son of Judge J. W. Nichols, of this city, and brother of S. J. Nichols, member-elect of congress from this district, was killed at the front in France in the battle that took place there between the English and German forces last Saturday and Monday, according to a notification received here this morning from the British war office by members of the family.

The following dispatch was received by Judge Nichols: London, England, Sept. 30. Deeply regret to inform you that Second Lieut. W. M. Nichols, R. F. A., was killed in action between 26-27 September. Lord Kitchener expresses sympathy. Lieut. Nichols, who left for England soon after the European war was declared, having resigned from the United States National academy in 1914, and previous to become a member of his father's law firm here, spent several months in London before his service in the English army was accepted, but finally after taking the oath of allegiance to England, secured a commission as second lieutenant in the Royal artillery and was sent to the front about a year ago. March 21, he was wounded, being shot through the thigh. This caused him to spend several months in a hospital, but recovering from that wound, he was again sent to the front possibly three months ago. News of his death was not a great surprise to members of his family here since the dispatches of the

last few days announcing the advance of the Allies in France and Belgium caused them to realize that Lieut. Nichols was in the thick of the fighting. Effort will be made to have his body recovered and returned to this city for burial. Such a request has been sent to the British war office by Judge Nichols. The state department at Washington has been asked to aid.

The Gulf coast and a part of the Mississippi valley were swept by a terrific tropical storm last Wednesday and Thursday. The storm seemed to center at New Orleans and Mobile; but was equally severe for many miles on the Mississippi river. The waters in Lake Pontchartrain rose from 12 to 14 feet and flooded over the sea wall at New Orleans. It is said that seven people were killed in the city and almost every plate glass was broken. Hundreds of houses were unroofed and the streets were littered with signs, telegraph poles, electric light poles and the like. Several public buildings were damaged. The total loss of life in the storm area, including New Orleans, is placed at 50, and the best estimates were more than 150 injured. The property damage is estimated as being well in excess of \$2,000,000.

Fifteen Cents Before Christmas.—Representative Heifin of Alabama, issued a statement Wednesday, in which he predicted that the south's cotton crop this year would not be more than 10,000,000 bales and that the price would reach 15 cents before Christmas. He said that the south's cotton crop this year would not be more than 10,000,000 bales and that the price would reach 15 cents before Christmas. He said that the south's cotton crop this year would not be more than 10,000,000 bales and that the price would reach 15 cents before Christmas.

AT THE CHURCHES.

SECOND BAPTIST.
Rev. J. H. Machen, Pastor.
Sunday Services—Sunday school at 10 a. m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN.
Rev. E. E. Gillespie, Pastor.
Sunday Services—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Rally day exercises in connection with Sunday school and 11 o'clock morning service. Evening service at 7:30 o'clock.

ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN.
Rev. J. L. Oates, Pastor.
Sunday Services—Sabbath school at 10 o'clock. Morning service at 11 o'clock. Evening service at 7:30.

FIRST BAPTIST.
Rev. Jas. H. Machen, Pastor.
Sunday Services—Sunday school at 9:45. Morning service at 11 o'clock.

CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD.
Rev. T. Tracy Walsh, Rector.
Sunday Services—Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Morning service at 11 o'clock. Evening service at 8 o'clock.

TRINITY METHODIST.
Rev. Henry Stokes, Pastor.
Sunday Services—Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Morning service at 11 o'clock. Evening service at 7:30.

Special Notices

Cannon Mill.
Rev. J. H. Machen will preach at the Cannon Mill Chapel Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Rev. Dale at Sharon.
Rev. J. G. Dale will preach in Sharon at the church Sabbath, October 3, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Kings Mountain and St. Paul.
Kings Mountain church services on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Philadelphia Services Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

At Enon and Smyrna.
Enon—Services Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.
Smyrna—Services Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Important Meeting.
All members of the Clover Baptist church are urged to attend a meeting which will be held in the church Sunday morning, October 3, immediately following Sunday school.

New Names.
That is an unusually liberal offer that the publishers of The Enquirer are making to new subscribers. For those who take it up at once, it means the equivalent of one fourth of a year for nothing.

A Flour Mill.
With a capacity of 25 barrels per day, has just been completed in Rock Hill. This mill is the first of its kind in this section. J. C. Hardin is the owner and anybody desiring their wheat ground can send it to him or write him for particulars.

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Dr. Clinkscales to Preach.
Dr. John Clinkscales of Wofford college, will preach at Trinity Methodist church, Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Members of the church are requested to attend Sunday school and church services Sunday morning.

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The Cotton Market.

New York, September 30.—Cotton closed barely steady as follows: Oct. 11.32; Dec. 12.15; Jan. 12.31; March 12.59; May 17.75. Spot cotton quiet; middling uplands 12; sales 500 bales.

OBITUARY.

DIED—Near Fort Mill, September 23, MARY LEE, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Gibson.

HYMENEAL.

MARRIED—In Hickory Grove, September 29, Miss ETHEL ELMORE of Hickory Grove, to Mr. W. L. WRIGHT of the same place.

At the home of the bride in Orangeburg, Wednesday, Miss LEES GAMBEL of Orangeburg, and Mr. W. L. ISOM of Rock Hill, the young couple will reside in Rock Hill, where the groom is connected with the postoffice.

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YORK COUNTY FAIR.

Rock Hill, S. C. Oct. 13, 14, 15, 16. REMEMBER the York County Fair at Rock Hill on October 13, 14, 15, and 16. It will be the Best Fair ever held in York county. Besides the extensive exhibition of York county products, there will be a number of extra attractions that will be of special interest. Among others will be the Sensational Smiling in His Wig "Terror," one of the most sensational features ever seen. "The Great Devil-bis" in his great aerial acts. Four-Horse Chamot Races, Roman Stand-In Races, and Regular Horse Races between the best horses of the State. Write WM. R. TIMMONS, Sec., for Premium List.

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